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Mail Stop Amendment

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an **Amendment under 37 C.F.R. 1.111** in the above-captioned application.

____ Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a previously filed statement.

____ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

☒ A Request for Extension of Time.

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☒ Copy of Mailroom date-stamped filing receipt, filed December 18, 2000.

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☒ Marked and Unmarked copies of the specification.

☒ Copy of Certified Copy of Japanese Application No. 362521, filed December 21, 1999.

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Sir:

I hereby certify that I have read the attached Substitute Specification and Abstract of the Disclosure and declare, pursuant to M.P.E.P. 608.01(q), that to the best of my knowledge and belief, no prohibited new subject matter is included therein.

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